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WELCOME TO THE COMIC BOOK UNIVERSES OF **SONIC THE HEDGEHOG** AND **MEGA MAN** -- REALMS UNIQUE & BEYOND WHAT YOU KNOW FROM THE SEGA AND CAPCOM GAMES! WHERE THE WORLDS OF SONIC AND MEGA MAN HAVE COLLIDED IN THE PAST, AND WILL NOW **UNITE!**

# WORLDS UNITE FINALE

## SONIC THE HEDGEHOG

**Sonic** is the fastest, coolest hedgehog there is. He is free as the wind, and fights against the evil ambitions of Dr. Eggman!

## MEGA MAN

**Mega Man** is a super fighting robot built by Dr. Light to protect his home and family from the evil forces of Dr. Wily.

## PREVIOUSLY...

### ALPHA

**Sigma**—a brilliant and evil villain from **Mega Man's future**—escaped to **Sonic's World** through the power of the **Genesis Portals**...

**Sonic** and **Mega Man were** kidnapped by Dr. Eggman and Dr. Wily and turned into **Roboticized Masters**...

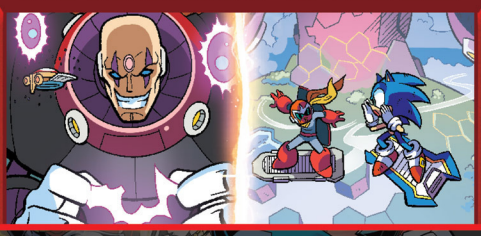
### THE END OF THE BEGINNING

Sigma kidnapped **Doctor Eggman** and **Doctor Wily**. He used them to build everything he needed for his plans to become a god...

**Sonic Man** and **M'Egga Man** became Sigma's controlled minions. But when they battled, their weapons reversed the transformations...

### THE BEGINNING OF THE END

Sigma fused Sonic and Mega Man's worlds, then drained the unified planet's energy. As he grew in power, he sent his forces to invade more worlds to further fuel his evolution...



Restored, the two heroes joined **X**, **Sticks** and the **Unified Army** in challenging Sigma and gathering heroes from across multiple worlds...

### Ω OMEGA Ω

**Now in his final form, Sigma is ready to destroy the Unified World and everyone on it!**

**Now, with the power of the seven Chaos Emeralds, they are the only force left standing against Sigma!**

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# THE UNIFIED ARMY

-THE HEROES AND VILLAINS OF WORLDS UNITE-

## SONIC'S WORLD

THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS

HERO

SUPER SONIC

THE FASTEST THING ALIVE

TAILS

AMY ROSE

KNUCKLES

SALLY

BIG

CREAM & CHEESE

GEMERL

NICOLE

ANTOINE

BUNNIE

ROTOR

VILLAINS

Dr. EGGMAN

METAL SONIC

A MASTER PLANNER & AN EVIL ROBOT DOUBLE

## MEGA MAN'S WORLD

ROBOT HEROES FROM THE YEAR 20XX

HERO

SUPER ARMOR MEGA MAN

SUPER FIGHTING ROBOT

RUSH

ROLL

BREAK MAN

HARD MAN

AIR MAN

BUBBLE MAN

FLASH MAN

WOOD MAN

SNAKE MAN

SPARK MAN

SHADOW MAN

QUAKE WOMAN

VILLAINS

Dr. WILY

XANDER PAYNE

A SELFISH GENIUS & A CRAZED ZEALOT

## MEGA MAN'S FUTURE

REPLOID HEROES FROM THE YEAR 21XX

X

ZERO

AXL

## SONIC BOOM WORLD

STICKS MADE THEM FOLLOW HER

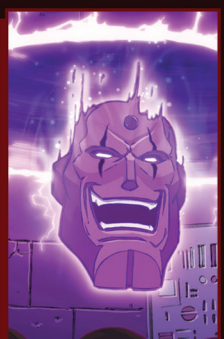
STICKS

COMEDY CHIMP

FASTIDIOUS BEAVER

## THE EVIL OF SIGMA

FROM VIRUS TO MADMAN TO MONSTER TO TERROR



**SIGMA-0**

SENTIENT REPLOID VIRUS

**SIGMA-1**

EVIL REPLOID SEEKING GODHOOD

**SIGMA-2**

GODLIKE REPLOID FUSED TO LOST HEX

**SIGMA-3**

EVIL INCARNATE

# THE UNIFIED ARMY

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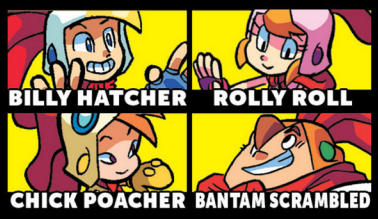
## SEGA HEROES

HEROES THIS GOOD TAKE AGES

FROM THE WORLD OF BILLY HATCHER™

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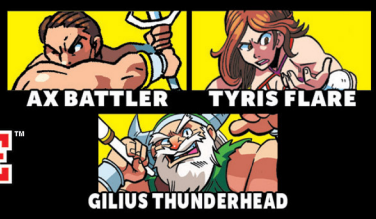
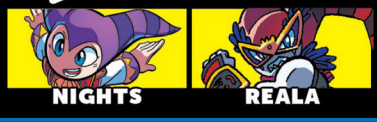



FROM THE WORLD OF PANZER DRAGOON™

FROM THE WORLD OF ALEX KIDD™

FROM THE WORLD OF NiGHTS™ into dreams...

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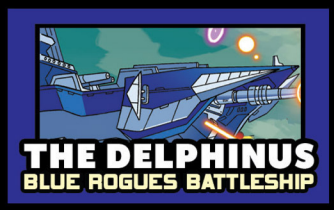



## CAPCOM HEROES

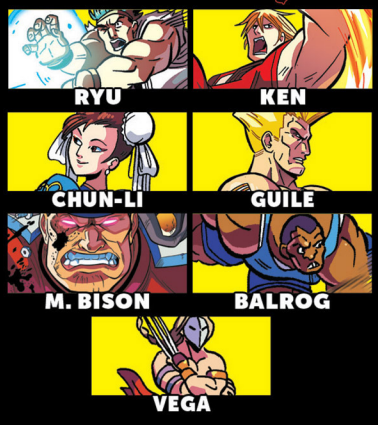
SUPER-FIGHTING SUPER HEROES

FROM THE WORLD OF GHOSTS'N GOBLINS™

FROM THE WORLD OF OKAMI™

FROM THE WORLD OF VIEWTIFUL JOE™

FROM THE WORLD OF STREET FIGHTER




FROM THE WORLD OF MONSTER HUNTER™

FROM THE WORLD OF BREATH OF FIRE III™

WHAT DO THE TWO OF YOU THINK YOU CAN DO TO WIN AGAINST ME?
I COMMAND THE POWER OF WORLDS. I AM ON THE CUSP OF BECOMING A GOD.
THEN IT'S GONNA HURT EVEN WORSE WHEN WE KNOCK YOU OFF YOUR HIGH HORSE!
YOUR EVIL ENDS RIGHT HERE, RIGHT NOW!

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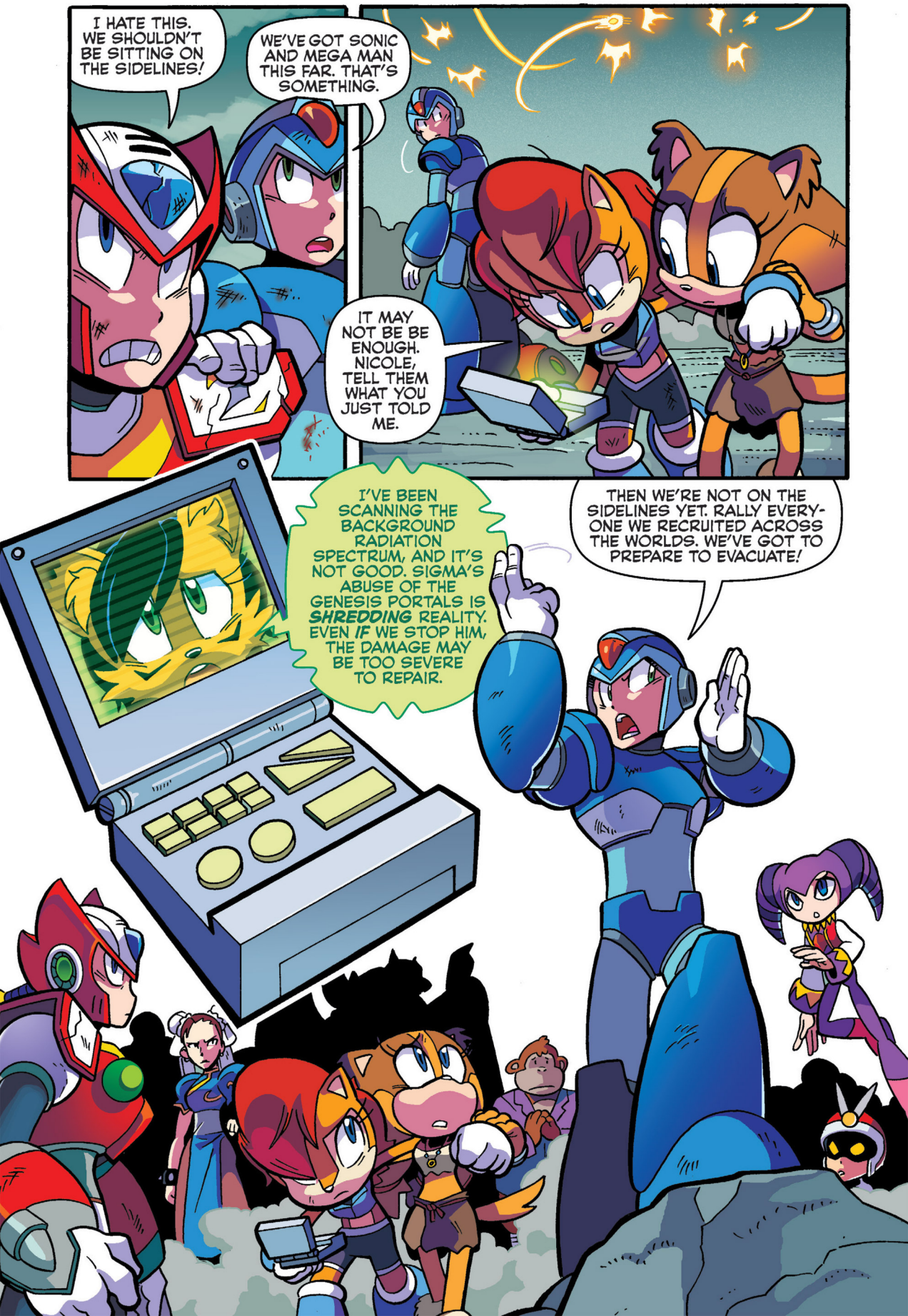

I HATE THIS. WE SHOULDN'T BE SITTING ON THE SIDELINES!
WE'VE GOT SONIC AND MEGA MAN THIS FAR. THAT'S SOMETHING.
IT MAY NOT BE BE ENOUGH. NICOLE, TELL THEM WHAT YOU JUST TOLD ME.
I'VE BEEN SCANNING THE BACKGROUND RADIATION SPECTRUM, AND IT'S NOT GOOD. SIGMA'S ABUSE OF THE GENESIS PORTALS IS ***SHREDDING*** REALITY. EVEN *IF* WE STOP HIM, THE DAMAGE MAY BE TOO SEVERE TO REPAIR.
THEN WE'RE NOT ON THE SIDELINES YET. RALLY EVERY-ONE WE RECRUITED ACROSS THE WORLDS. WE'VE GOT TO PREPARE TO EVACUATE!

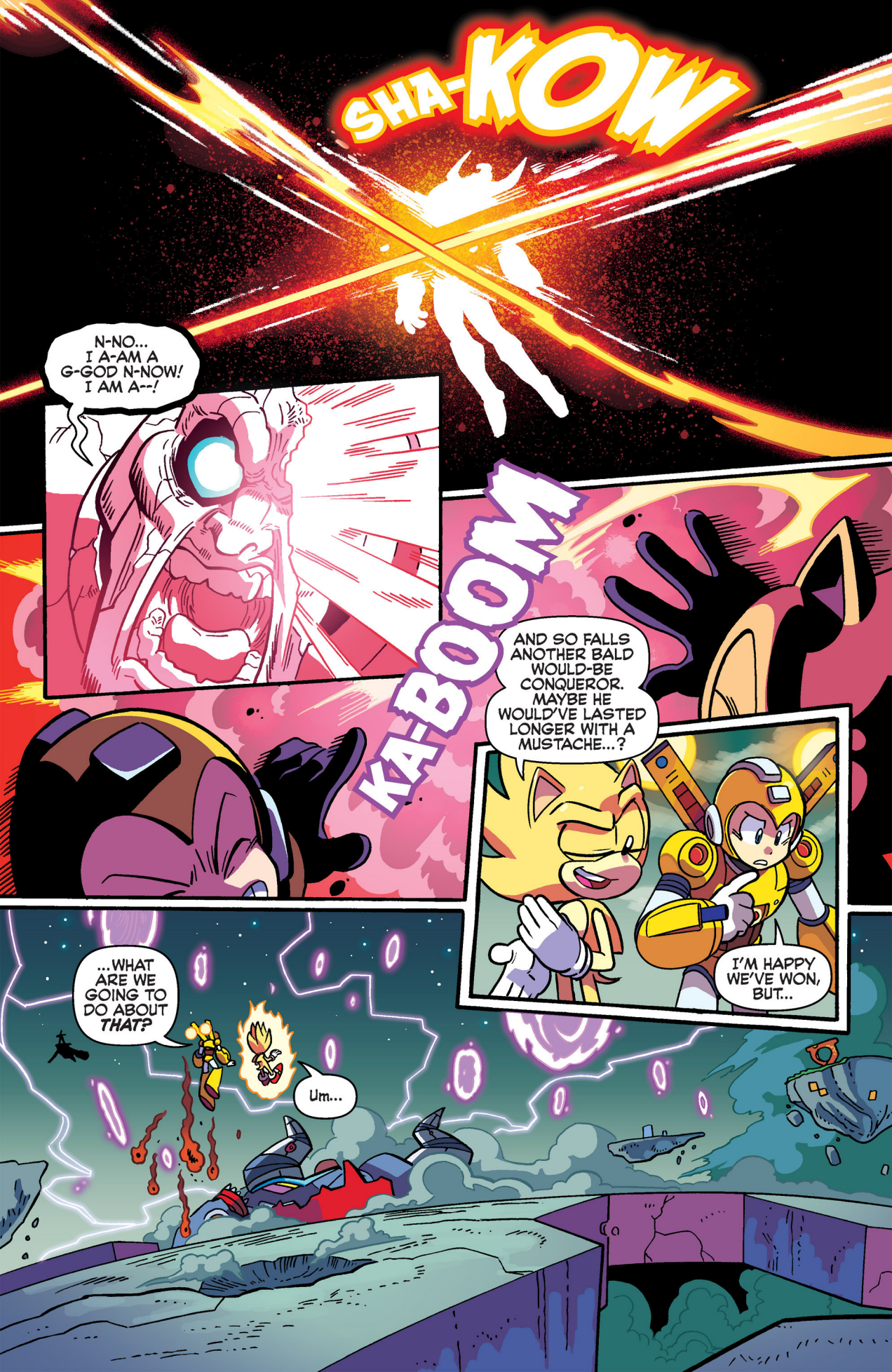
MEANWHILE...
THERE IT IS!
THE ANSWER TO ALL OUR PROBLEMS!
THE MASTER ENGINE!
SO...YOU CAN GAIN CONTROL OF THIS THING? YOU CAN STOP SIGMA?
OF COURSE! WE BUILT THE STUPID THING TO BEGIN WITH! JUST LOOK AT HOW EFFECTIVELY IT CONVERTS THE WORLD'S ENERGY...
AND SOON ALL THAT POWER WILL BE OURS TO COMMAND! WE NEVER WOULD'VE MADE IT THIS FAR WITHOUT YOUR HELP, OUR HYPOCRITICAL HERO! NOW STAND BACK AND ENJOY THE SHOW!
THE MONITORS ARE SHOWING CATASTROPHIC DESTABILIZATION ACROSS SPACE-TIME...
WHO CARES? WE'LL WIPE IT ALL AND REBUILD IT ANEW!
HAHAHA! TOTAL CONTROL GIVES US SUCH CREATIVE FREEDOM!
IT'S JUST LIKE I WARNED EVERYONE--ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY IS GOING TO KILL US ALL! I'VE FORESEEN MYSELF SAVING THE WORLD... BUT HOW? I'VE FOLLOWED THE VISIONS. I'M HERE. THE DOCTORS ARE HERE. WHAT AM I MISSING...?

X AND ZERO COULD NEVER TRULY STOP ME! WHAT MAKES YOU THINK YOU CAN?
FOR STARTERS?
I'M FASTER!
SHRAKK
SPEED IS NOTHING WITHOUT POWER BEHIND IT! I'VE FOUGHT X AND ZERO AT THEIR STRONGEST!
YEAH, BUT NOT CHAOS EMERALD-STRONG, AM I RIGHT?
VRRRRRMMMMMM

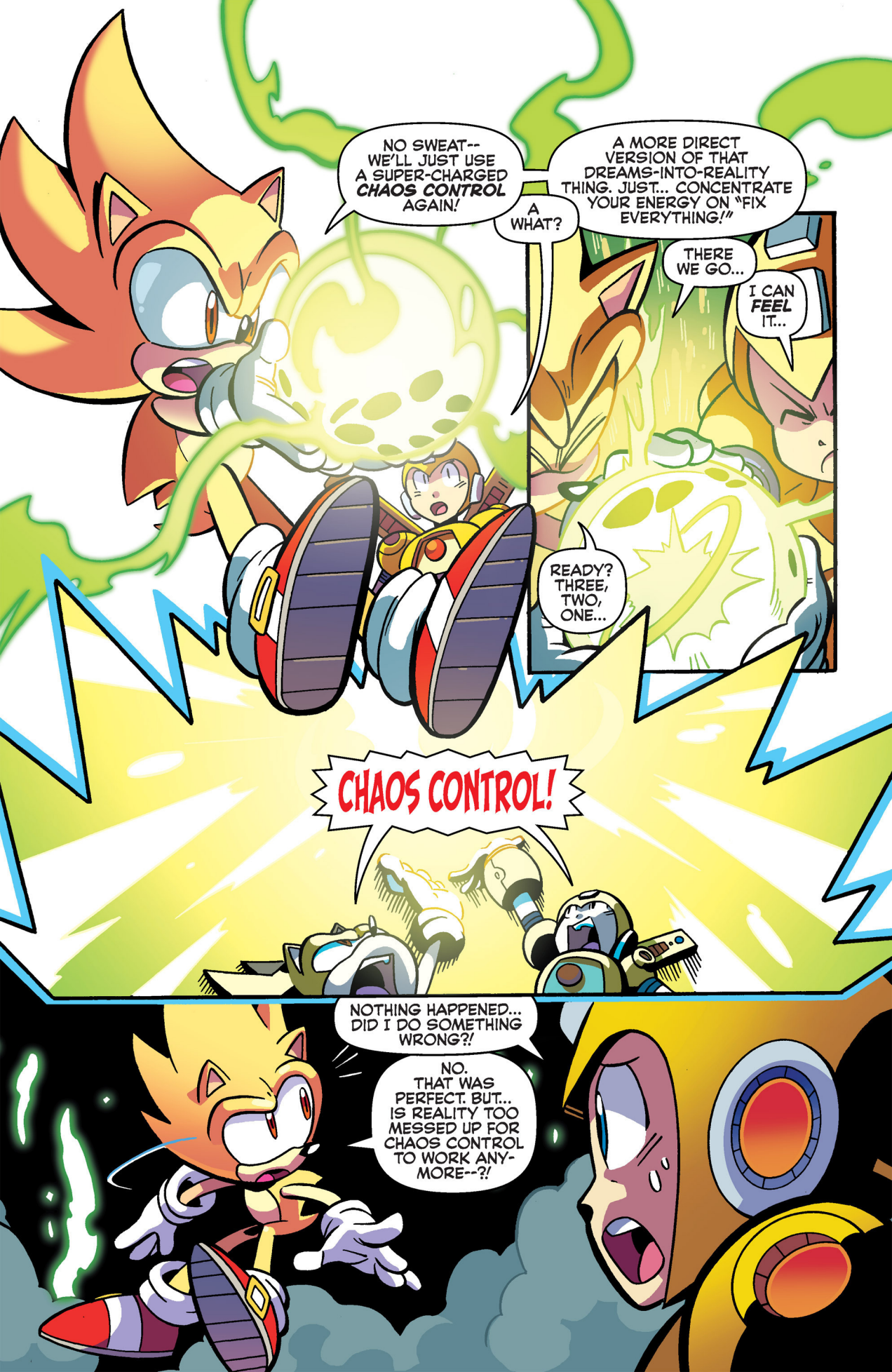
BRAKA-KA-THOOM
"SPEED IS NOTHING..." PFFFT!
BRRRKKK KOOM
FWEEEEEEE KA-BLAM
LOOKING TO BLAST OUR PLANETS BACK APART, MAN?
...DID I GO TOO FAR? I-I JUST THOUGHT, SINCE HE'S SO POWERFUL, I NEEDED TO...!
HAHAHA! LISTEN TO THIS GUY!
Oh, COME ON! I'M CONCENTRATING ON SAVING THE WORLD!
I KNOW, I KNOW. YOU'RE A CLASS ACT, MAN.

YOU'VE NOT WON YET, BOYS!
I'VE GOT THIS! GET HIM!
SOMETHING'S WRONG! THE ENERGY FEED FROM THE MASTER ENGINE HAS STOPPED! I NEED A MOMENT TO REGROUP AND--
SKIZZT
WHAM
WHAM
BAM
KRAK
VREEEEEEE
SLIGHTLY SMALLER SHOT THIS TIME, KID!

SMART ALECK...
SHA-BLAZAM
HOW...HOW COULD THIS HAPPEN? WHAT KIND OF POWER *IS* THIS...?!
THE POWER TO TURN DREAMS INTO REALITY. IT'S OUR PUREST DESIRES GIVEN FORM.
IT'S OUR DESIRE TO SAVE THE ONES WE LOVE! TO SAVE OUR WORLDS--*ALL* WORLDS!
AND IT'S THE *END*--
--FOR *YOU!*


SHA-KOW
N-NO... I A-AM A G-GOD N-NOW! I AM A--!
KA-BOOM
AND SO FALLS ANOTHER BALD WOULD-BE CONQUEROR. MAYBE HE WOULD'VE LASTED LONGER WITH A MUSTACHE...?
I'M HAPPY WE'VE WON, BUT...
...WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO ABOUT *THAT?*
Um...

GET TO THE DELPHINUS! WE'VE GOT TO GET THE OTHERS BACK TO THEIR HOME WORLDS!
NOT BEFORE WE RESCUE AS MANY AS WE CAN FROM WHAT'S LEFT OF THIS WORLD.
I CAN'T ASK YOU TO SACRIFICE YOURSELVES LIKE THAT!
WE FREELY VOLUNTEER, YOUR HIGHNESS. WE CAME HERE TO SAVE LIVES. WE WILL NOT SETTLE FOR HALF MEASURES.
EXACTLY!
MY PARALOOPS AREN'T AFFECTING THE GENESIS PORTALS!
NO WAY! THE POWER OF THE CELESTIAL BRUSH CAN'T FIX THIS MESS?!


NO SWEAT-- WE'LL JUST USE A SUPER-CHARGED CHAOS CONTROL AGAIN!
A WHAT?
A MORE DIRECT VERSION OF THAT DREAMS-INTO-REALITY THING. JUST... CONCENTRATE YOUR ENERGY ON "FIX EVERYTHING!"
THERE WE GO...
I CAN FEEL IT...
READY? THREE, TWO, ONE...
CHAOS CONTROL!
NOTHING HAPPENED... DID I DO SOMETHING WRONG?!
NO. THAT WAS PERFECT. BUT... IS REALITY TOO MESSED UP FOR CHAOS CONTROL TO WORK ANY-MORE--?!

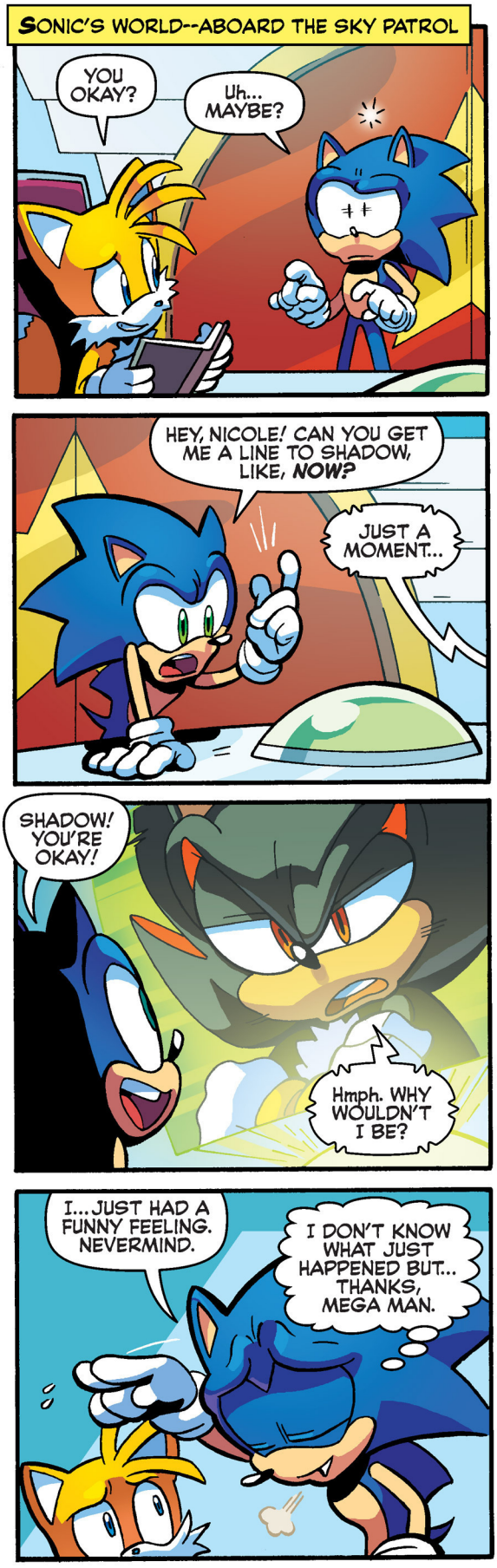
SHA-KRAK
THE GENESIS PORTALS ARE COLLAPSING!
HOW CAN WE ESCAPE?!
RRRRRGH... EVEN MY POWER CANNOT KEEP A SINGLE ONE OPEN?!
LET US BRING THE LIGHTNING, LASSES! WE'LL BLAST A WAY OUT!
MOONS, GIVE ME STRENGTH...
...MAGIC DOESN'T WORK ANYMORE?!
MENIE-FUNIE! SEND A CHICKEN ELDER TO CROW FOR MORNING!
HELLO...?

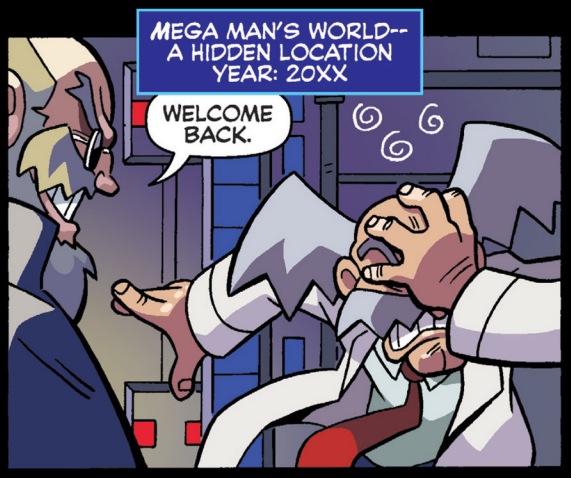
SECURITY OVERRIDE COMPLETE!
THE MASTER ENGINE IS FULLY UNDER OUR CONTROL!
REALITY IS OUR PLAYTHING NOW!
THAT'S IT! THAT'S WHAT I'VE BEEN MISSING! KEEP YOUR HANDS IN THE AIR, DOCTORS.
AND WHERE DID YOU GET THAT GUN?
I TOLD THE WALRUS AND THE FOX THAT ONE OF THE ROBOT MASTERS NEEDED IT. EVERYONE WAS SO BUSY PREPARING FOR THE BIG FIGHT, NOBODY HAD TIME TO SECOND GUESS ME.
NOW-- STEP AWAY FROM THE MASTER ENGINE.
Y-YOU CAN'T D-DO THIS! IT GOES AGAINST EVERYTHING YOU BELIEVE IN!
I'M NOT GOING TO ABUSE ITS POWER LIKE YOU PSYCHOS! ALL I'M DOING IS BORROWING ENOUGH POWER--
--TO DO THIS!

Heh! I'D HOPED TO SCOUT OUT MY DESTINATION A BIT LONGER BEFORE MAKING MY MOVE.
THERE-- THE MOMENT SIGMA ESCAPED HIS REALITY AND CAME TO THIS ONE. I'LL STOP THIS BEFORE IT EVER STARTED!
WAIT! ALTERNATING THAT SPECIFIC MOMENT COULD CAUSE A CATASTROPHIC TEMPORAL COLLAPSE!
WHAT IF THE TIME-STREAM DOESN'T REALIGN CORRECTLY?!
YOU'RE DIRECTLY TIED TO IT! WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO YOU?!
YOU'LL RUIN ALL OUR HARD WORK AND SCHEMING! THINK, MAN! THINK!
THEN AGAIN, DR. EGGMAN HAS ALL BUT SET THINGS UP FOR ME...
RISK UNDOING ALL YOUR EVIL? RISK CREATING REALITIES WHERE YOUR TECHNOLOGY DOESN'T THREATEN US ALL? SOUNDS GOOD TO ME.
BANG
THANKS FOR HELPING ME SAVE THE WORLDS, DOCTORS!

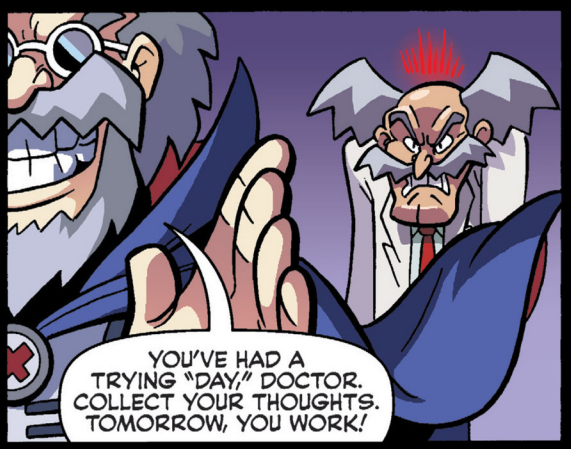
BANG
SIGMA! YOUR THREAT TO--
WHAT THE--?!
GYAAAAROUGH!

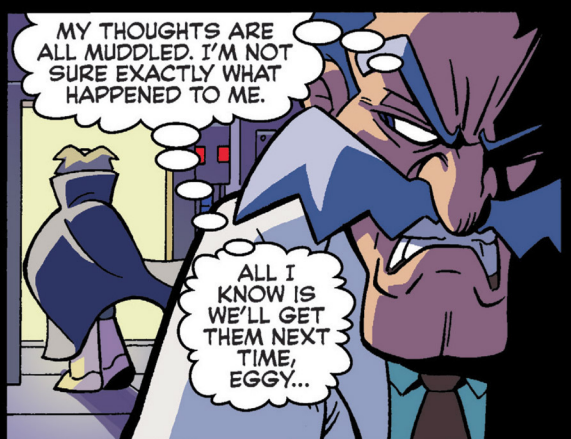
MEGA MAN'S WORLD--THE FUTURE: YEAR 21XX
X! WHAT HAPPENED TO SIGMA?
I...I SHOT HIM. I THINK.
WHAT'D I MISS? WHAT'D I MISS?!
X ALREADY TOOK DOWN SIGMA FOR US!
AWW! NO FAIR! I WANTED A SHOT AT HIM!
WHERE'S VILE?
DOWN FOR THE COUNT!
SOME WEIRD GUY IS HANDING HIM OVER TO THE HUNTERS RIGHT NOW!
THIS DID SEEM TO GO EASIER THAN USUAL.
PERHAPS WE GOT HERE JUST IN TIME? MAYBE...MAYBE SIGMA'S EVIL IS FINALLY GONE FOR GOOD. NOW THE WORLD TRULY HAS A CHANCE AT PEACE.

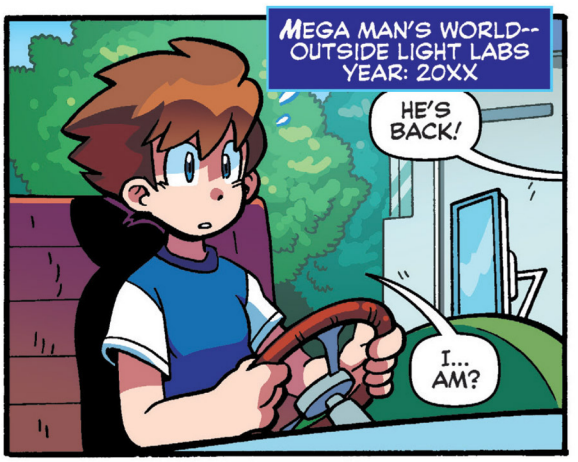

SONIC'S WORLD--ABOARD THE SKY PATROL
YOU OKAY?
Uh... MAYBE?
HEY, NICOLE! CAN YOU GET ME A LINE TO SHADOW, LIKE, NOW?
JUST A MOMENT...
SHADOW! YOU'RE OKAY!
Hmph. WHY WOULDN'T I BE?
I...JUST HAD A FUNNY FEELING. NEVERMIND.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT JUST HAPPENED BUT... THANKS, MEGA MAN.
SONIC'S WORLD--ABOARD THE DEATH EGG
GRZNK?!
ENJOYING A NAP, BOSS?
Uh...YES, OF COURSE. STATUS REPORT?
ALL GOOD... BUT THERE SEEMS TO BE AN ERROR IN THE INVENTORY. AS IF WE LOST SOMETHING...
SHALL WE MOVE AHEAD ON YOUR PLANS TO INVADE LOST HEX?
ER...NO. NO!
I'VE CHANGED MY MIND. LET'S FOCUS ON THIS WORLD FIRST.
I GUESS ANOTHER PLAN FAILED, WHATEVER IT WAS.
BETTER LUCK NEXT TIME, AL.

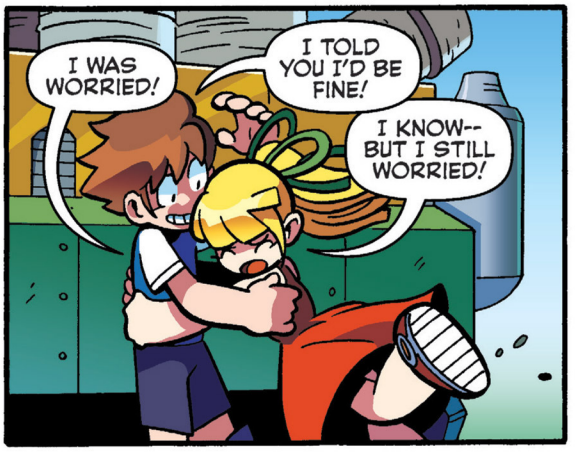

MEGA MAN'S WORLD--
A HIDDEN LOCATION
YEAR: 20XX
WELCOME BACK.

YOU! IT'S BEEN YOU ALL ALONG! BUT HOW...?
YOU TWO DID TRY TO WARN ME. TIME TRAVEL IS SUCH TRICKY BUSINESS.

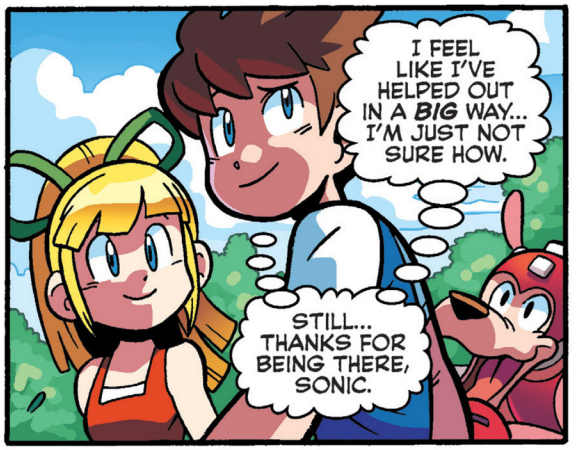

YOU'VE HAD A TRYING "DAY," DOCTOR. COLLECT YOUR THOUGHTS. TOMORROW, YOU WORK!

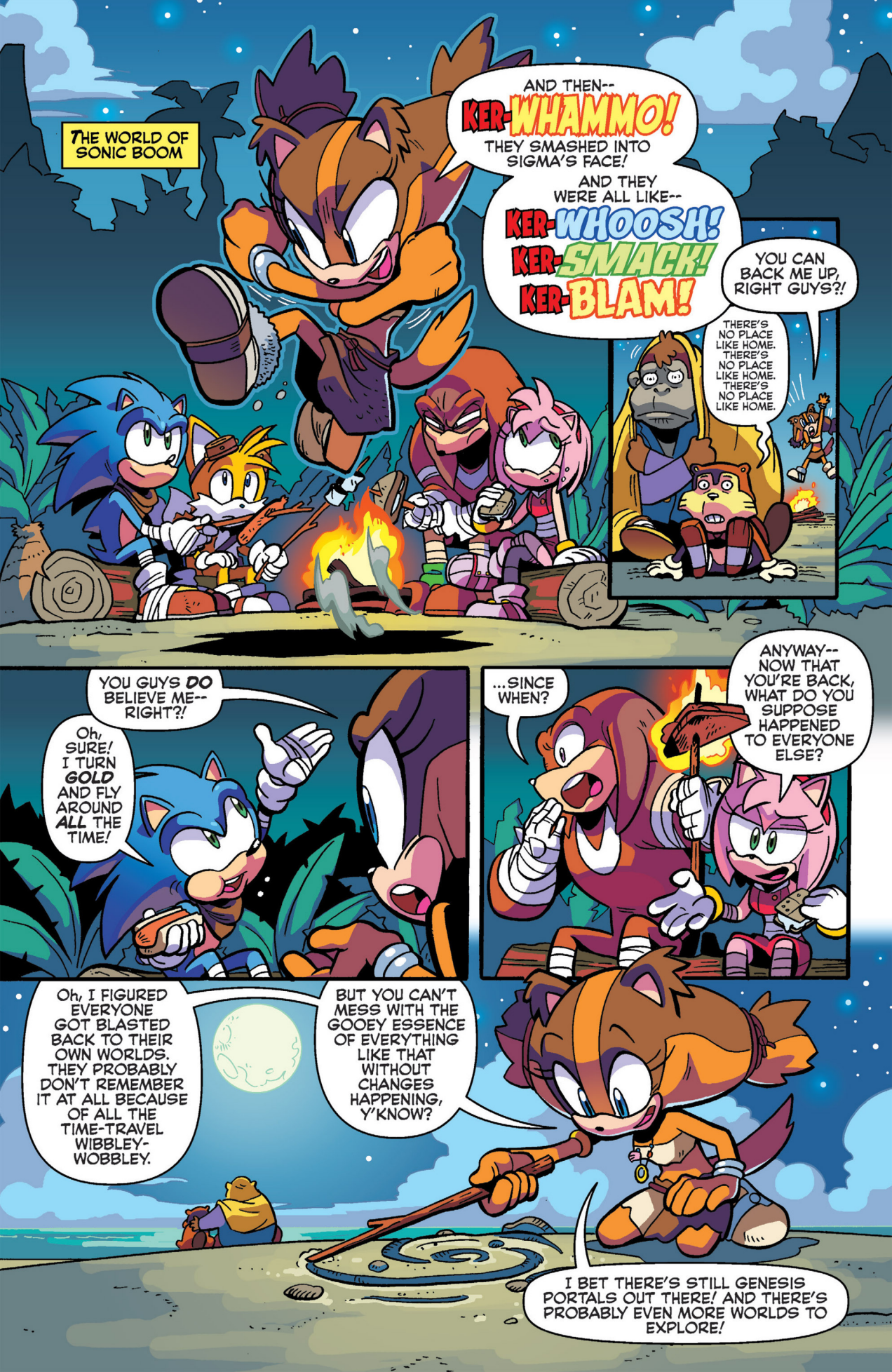

MY THOUGHTS ARE ALL MUDDLED. I'M NOT SURE EXACTLY WHAT HAPPENED TO ME.
ALL I KNOW IS WE'LL GET THEM NEXT TIME, EGGY...


MEGA MAN'S WORLD--
OUTSIDE LIGHT LABS
YEAR: 20XX
HE'S BACK!
I... AM?


I WAS WORRIED!
I TOLD YOU I'D BE FINE!
I KNOW-- BUT I STILL WORRIED!

THANKS FOR GETTING THE SUPPLIES, KID. WE'LL HAVE LIGHT LABS BACK UP AND RUNNING IN NO TIME NOW!
ALWAYS HAPPY TO HELP!


I FEEL LIKE I'VE HELPED OUT IN A BIG WAY... I'M JUST NOT SURE HOW.
STILL... THANKS FOR BEING THERE, SONIC.


THE WORLD OF SONIC BOOM
AND THEN-- KER-WHAMMO! THEY SMASHED INTO SIGMA'S FACE!
AND THEY WERE ALL LIKE-- KER-WHOOSH! KER-SMACK! KER-BLAM!
YOU CAN BACK ME UP, RIGHT GUYS?!
THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME. THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME. THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME.
YOU GUYS DO BELIEVE ME-- RIGHT?!
Oh, SURE! I TURN GOLD AND FLY AROUND ALL THE TIME!
...SINCE WHEN?
ANYWAY-- NOW THAT YOU'RE BACK, WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE HAPPENED TO EVERYONE ELSE?
Oh, I FIGURED EVERYONE GOT BLASTED BACK TO THEIR OWN WORLDS. THEY PROBABLY DON'T REMEMBER IT AT ALL BECAUSE OF ALL THE TIME-TRAVEL WIBBLEY-WOBBLEY.
BUT YOU CAN'T MESS WITH THE GOOEY ESSENCE OF EVERYTHING LIKE THAT WITHOUT CHANGES HAPPENING, Y'KNOW?
I BET THERE'S STILL GENESIS PORTALS OUT THERE! AND THERE'S PROBABLY EVEN MORE WORLDS TO EXPLORE!

"AND I BET'CHA AT THE MIDDLE OF IT ALL IS SOME SORT OF *NEXUS!*"
GOOD
HAS TRIUMPHED OVER
EVIL!
*EVIL* HAS FOILED *EVEN-WORSE-EVIL!* THE WORLDS ARE RESTORED AND *NEW* ADVENTURES AWAIT ON THE HORIZON!
*YOU* CAN CATCH MORE OF THE *BLUE BOMBER* EVERY MONTH IN *MEGA MAN!* THE HILARITY CONTINUES IN *SONIC BOOM!*
AND *SONIC* KEEPS ON RUNNING THROUGH THE PAGES OF *SONIC THE HEDGEHOG* AND *SONIC UNIVERSE* EVERY MONTH AND THE *SONIC SUPER SPECIAL MAGAZINE* AND *SONIC SUPER DIGEST* EVERY QUARTER!

SONIC/MEGA MAN 2

# WORLDS UNITE

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG

MEGA MAN

COVERS UNITE VARIANTS BY Ben Bates

SONIC AND MEGA MAN GOT THROUGH ACT 2

# THANKS FOR PLAYING

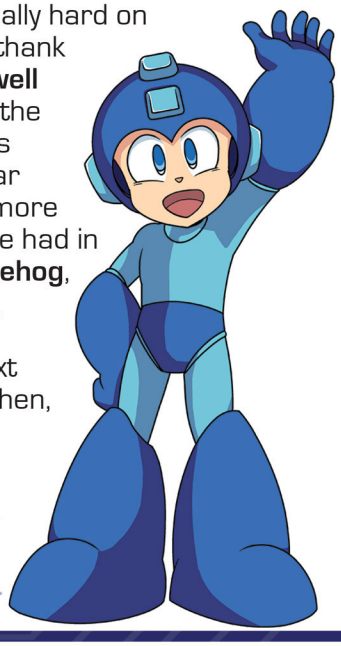
# Letters from the EDITORS

*TWO editorial commentaries that are totally united!*

## THANK YOU FOR READING WORLDS UNITE!

**Aaaaannd that's a wrap!**

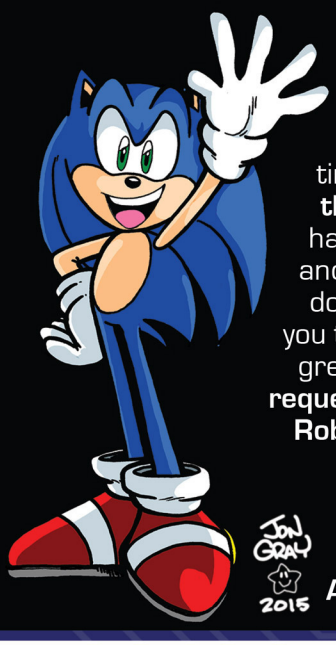
Wow, I feel like **Worlds Unite** ended as soon as it began! What a wild ride, I hope everyone enjoyed it! The entire creative team worked really hard on it and I'd like to thank them for a **job well done!** That's all the crossover chaos for now! But, fear not! There are more adventures to be had in **Sonic the Hedgehog**, **Sonic Universe**, **Mega Man** and **Sonic Boom** next month! See ya then, folks!



– Vincent "Vin" Lovallo
**Editor**

I'd like to use this space to be vengeful that there was no **Mama Robotnik** anywhere in...!

Wait. Vin says I can't talk about that here. I guess I have to be serious?

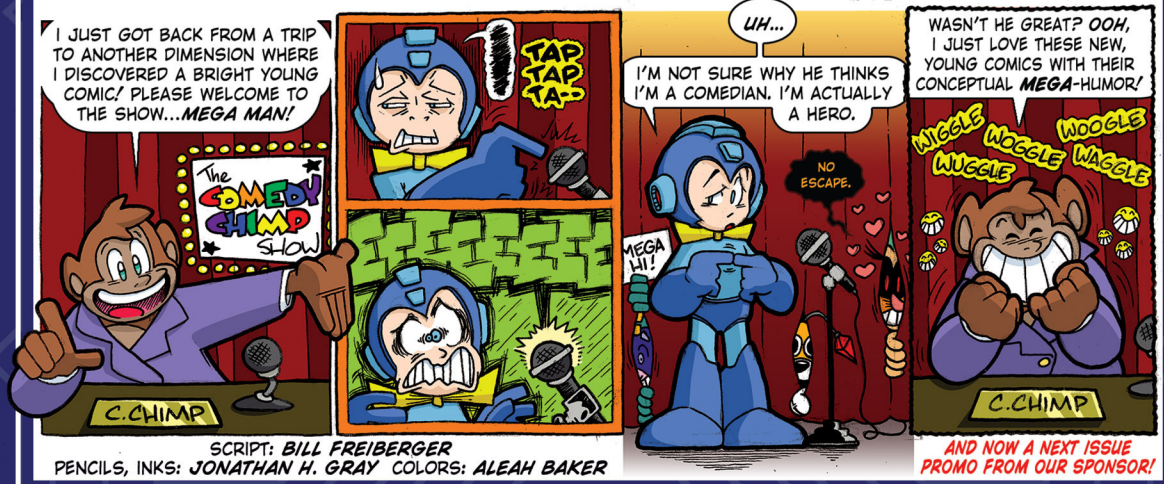



Well... piffle. So instead I'd like to take this time to thank you, **the readers**, who have stuck with us and will continue to do so. It's **fans** like you that make these great books last **so request more Mama Robotni—***WAIT I'M NOT DONE YE–*

– Jonathan H. Gray
**Assistant Editor**

# – SHORT CIRCUITS –

## STAND–UP AND DELIVER OR Goodbye, Mr. Chimps


I JUST GOT BACK FROM A TRIP TO ANOTHER DIMENSION WHERE I DISCOVERED A BRIGHT YOUNG COMIC! PLEASE WELCOME TO THE SHOW...MEGA MAN!
The COMEDY CHIMP SHOW
C.CHIMP
TAP TAP TA–
UH...
I'M NOT SURE WHY HE THINKS I'M A COMEDIAN. I'M ACTUALLY A HERO.
NO ESCAPE.
MEGA HI!
WASN'T HE GREAT? OOH, I JUST LOVE THESE NEW, YOUNG COMICS WITH THEIR CONCEPTUAL MEGA-HUMOR!
WIGGLE WOGGLE WUGGLE WOOGLE WAGGLE
C.CHIMP
AND NOW A NEXT ISSUE PROMO FROM OUR SPONSOR!

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